

*City*  
*of* Asheville  
North Carolina



# Sidewalk Update



- **Transportation – Mobility**
  - NCDOT Streets & City Streets
  - MPO Transportation Plans
  - Bicycle Master Plan
  - Transit Master Plan
  - Parking Plan
  - Greenways Master Plan
  - Pedestrian Master Plan

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- **Sound Transportation Objectives Include**
  - Integration
  - Balance
  - Multi-Modal
  - Long-Range Planning
  - Partnerships
  - Multi-Year Funding

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- **1999 Pedestrian Plan (Updated 2005)**
  - Recommends Priority Criteria
  - Identifies “Master List” of Needs
  - 132 Linear Miles
  - 152 Linear Miles (2005)
  - 108 Linear Miles Needed Linkage (2005)
  - 165 Linear Miles (2010)

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## Prioritization Process Criteria

- Priority Zones (Zoning Jurisdiction)
- Proximity to Community Destinations
- Proximity to Transit Stops
- Needed Linkages
- Feasibility of Construction
- Major Thoroughfares and Connector Streets

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## Completed Projects – FY 2005 through FY 2010

- City Funds
- 7.5 Linear Miles
- \$1,371,000

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[City Sidewalk Projects.pdf](#)



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## Current Projects

- Beverly Road/Tunnel Road, Avon Road to Governor's View Road
- Patton Avenue, Leicester Hwy to Regent Park Boulevard
- Brevard Road, I-26 to I-40 (TIP # U-3601)
- ARRA Projects (7)



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## Potential Projects – North

- Lakeshore Drive, Merrimon Avenue to Lakeview Road
- Country Club Road, Kimberly Avenue to Griffing Boulevard
- Grovewood Road, Country Club Road to GPI
- Mount Vernon Circle



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## Potential Projects – East

- Tunnel Road, New Haw Creek Road to Avon Road (Design Stage)
- Tunnel Road, South Tunnel Road to New Haw Creek Road
- Tunnel Road, Pleasant Ridge Drive to the Veteran's Center (Funding Stage)
- Tunnel Road, Governor's View Road to Swannanoa River Road
- Riceville Road, Tunnel Road to the city limits
- New Haw Creek Road, Tunnel Road to Arco Road



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## Potential Projects – South

- Brevard Road, Ridgefield Boulevard to Rocky Ridge Road (Biltmore Square Mall area)
- Overlook Road, Springside Road to Briarcliff Drive
- Overlook Road, Long Shoals Road to Springside Road
- Hendersonville Road, I-40 to the Blue Ridge Parkway (U-5189)
- Caribou Road

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## Potential Projects – West

- Patton Avenue, Haywood Road to New Leicester Hwy
- New Leicester Hwy, Patton Avenue to the city limits (U-5190)

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## Action Steps:

- Continue Documentation Process
- Continue Implementing the Pedestrian Plan
- Formalize Prioritization Process (Point Values)
- “Score” the Top 50 Potential Projects
- Plot Projects and Link to Website
- Continue Working Towards Integrating all the Master Plans

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## Action Steps Continued:

- Implement Parking Strategies (on-street and off-street)
- Provide Bicycle Awareness (signs and pavement markings)
- Install Bicycle Lanes
- Improve Bus Stops (concrete pads, benches, shelters)
- Provide ADA Compliance
- Connect Greenways
- Promote Multi-Modal Aspects on Major Street Projects (NCDOT)